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Dear Members of the ZBA:

I am writing to you today to inform you that there are currently over 160 residents of Walpole who have actively participated in raising funds to hire a lawyer to fight Omni Development on our behalf. We, the residents of Walpole and specifically of South Walpole, will not allow such a monstrosity of a complex to take over our beloved community without a fight. We will not stand down until we have done absolutely everything in our power to fight against the greed of this developer and to ensure the safety of our children and families.

I share this information with you now, so you are aware of just how many residents are truly against the density of this project. Although there is a small group of us who have sent and continue to send letters (oh, so many letters) and who speak during the public comments at your hearings, we few speak for hundreds. There are a group of us residents who have spent and continue to spend hours, days, months and now well over a year of our time to educate ourselves on all aspects of this project so that we can continue to address your board with facts and real concerns.

We will continue to advocate for our community and our town, involving more residents by the day. There is power in numbers. We understand we cannot simply wish away a 40b complex. But we believe that by involving many, our words will be heard together. We want you to understand that this is not just a few residents complaining about our neighborhood, but that this is truly a town-wide concern and the density of this development must be greatly decreased to minimize the horrific effects it will have on our entire town.

As always, I thank you for your time and implore you to vote in our favor and incorporate the conditions we have suggested.

Sincerely,
Becky Litvak
South Walpole Resident